

FOCS Homework 16

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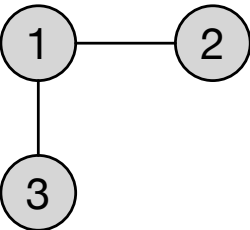
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I. (Undirected) Graphs

A **graph** is a set of points (called **nodes** or **vertices**), connected pair-wise by lines (called **edges**).

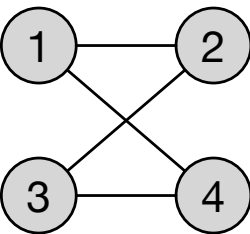
Formally, a graph is an ordered pair $G = (V, E)$: V is a set of vertices; E is a set of edges; and an edge is a set of the nodes that are its ends.

Example:

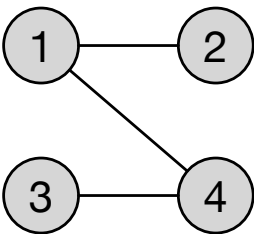


$$G = (\{1, 2, 3\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}\})$$

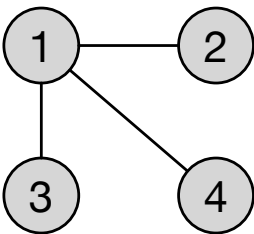
1. Match the diagrams to the graph structures.



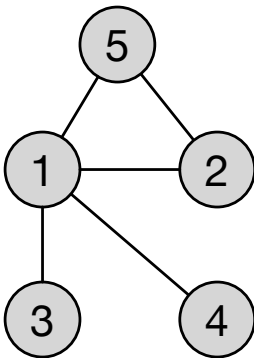
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

- (i) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 4\}, \{3, 4\}\})$
- (ii) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 4\}, \{2, 3\}, \{3, 4\}\})$
- (iii) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 4\}, \{1, 5\}, \{2, 5\}\})$
- (iv) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 4\}, \{1, 3\}\})$

2. Cycles

Two vertices are **adjacent** if there's an edge between them.

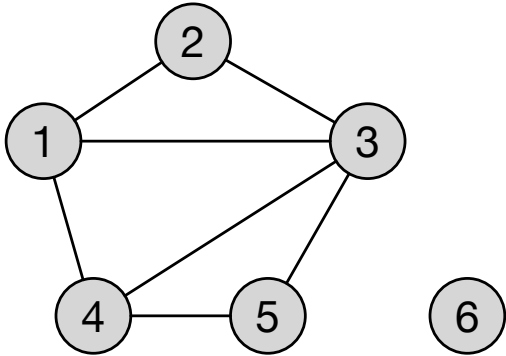
A **cycle** is a sequence of adjacent vertices that begin and end with the same vertex.

Which of (1a-d) contains a cycle? For those graphs that contain a cycle, what is the cycle?

3. Draw a diagram for this graph.

$G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}, \{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}, \{3, 4\}, \{4, 5\}, \{1, 5\}\})$

4. Write the graph (V, E) for this diagram.



This is a single graph. It is not a **connected graph**.

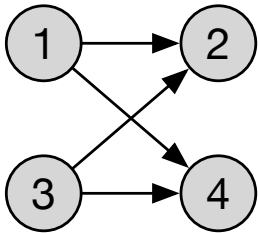
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II. Directed Graphs

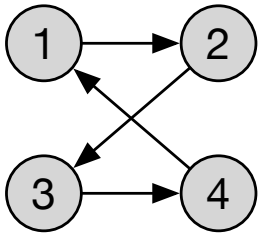
A **directed graph** (“digraph”) is a set of vertices, together with arrows that begin and end on a vertex.

Formally, $G = (V, A)$, where A is a set of tuples (V_i, V_j) .

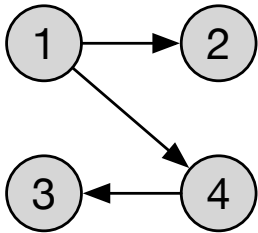
5. Match the diagrams to the graphs.



(a)



(b)



(c)

(i) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{(1, 2), (1, 4), (3, 2), (3, 4)\})$

(ii) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{(1, 2), (1, 4), (4, 3)\})$

(iii) $G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{(1, 2), (4, 1), (2, 3), (3, 4)\})$

6. Directed acyclic graphs

A cycle in a directed graph is a sequence of vertices, that starts and ends with the same vertex, where for each pair of consecutive vertices in the sequence there's an arrow from the first to the second.

A **directed acycle graph** (DAG) is a digraph that doesn't contain cycles.

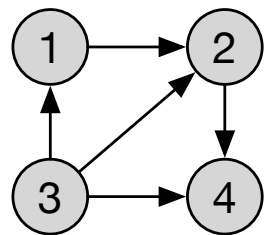
Which of (5a-c) are DAGs?

7. Draw a diagram for this graph.

$G = (\{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4), (4, 1), (1, 3)\})$

Is this graph a DAG?

6. Write the graph (V, A) for this diagram.



7. Adjacency matrices

An **adjacency matrix** is a square matrix A such that $A_{i,j} = 1$ iff there is an arrow from vertex i to vertex j .

Write the adjacency matrix for the graph in (5a).

III. (Optional) Reading

One of:

- Cormen *et al.* Section 6 “Graph Algorithms”, Chapters 22-24.
- Equivalent material in your favorite data structures text: graphs, Hamiltonian paths, algorithms to compute spanning trees, shortest paths.
- Wikipedia: [Graph](#), [graph data type](#), [directed graph](#), [adjacency matrix](#), [Hamiltonian path](#)